

☐ herewith or ☒ in prior application no. 10/179,747 filed June 24, 2002.

☐ Applicant(s), by its/their undersigned attorney, claim(s) Small Entity Status under 37 C.F.R. §1.27 as ☐ an Independent Inventor, or ☐ a Small Business Concern, or ☐ a Non-Profit Organization.

☒ Preliminary Remarks.

☒ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO/SB/08A, w/o cited references.

☐ Request for Nonpublication of Application Under 35 U.S.C. §122(b)

☐ Other: &@

The filing fee is calculated as follows:

			SMALL ENTITY			LARGE ENTITY	
CLAIMS	NO. FILED	NO. EXTRA	BASIC FEE:			BASIC FEE:	
			\$375			\$750	
Total	2 -20 =	-0-	X9	\$-0-	OR	X18	\$-0-
Independent	2 - 3 =	-0-	X42	\$-0-	OR	X84	\$-0-
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dependent Claims Present			\$140	\$-0-	OR	\$280	\$-0-
			TOTAL	\$-0-	OR	TOTAL	\$750.00

☐ The Commissioner is not authorized to charge the filing fee at this time as we elect to defer payment of the entire filing fee until receipt of a Notice to File Missing Parts

☒ A check in the amount of **\$750.00** to cover the filing is enclosed.

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☐ Filing fee in the amount of \$_____ as calculated above.

☒ Any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 and § 1.17.

☒ In the event that a Petition for Extension of Time is required during the prosecution of this application, but not submitted, please charge any extension fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to our Deposit Account noted above.

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